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IN RE APPLICATION OF:
ZHENG XIN DONG ET AL.

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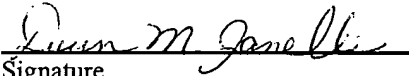
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on February 9, 2005 (hereinafter "instant Office Action") the period for response having been extended to June 9, 2005 pursuant to the petition for a three month extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) submitted concurrently with the requisite fee. No fees are believed to be due with this response however, if necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0590.

Claims pending in the application are listed on pages 2-10 of this paper.

Applicants Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.